

KOREAN PENINSULA SECURITY

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the current security situation on the Korean Peninsula, after receiving testimony from Wallace C. Gregson, Assistant Secretary, Asian and Pacific Security Affairs, and General Walter L. Sharp, USA, Commander, United Nations Command, Commander, Republic of Korea—United States Combined Forces Command, and Commander, United States Forces Korea, both of the Department of Defense; and Kurt M. Campbell, Assistant Secretary of State, East Asian and Pacific Affairs.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND EXCHANGE RATE POLICIES

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the Treasury Department's report on international economic and exchange rate policies, after receiving testimony from Timothy F. Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury; C. Fred Bergsten, The Peterson Institute for International Economics, and Charles W. Freeman III, Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS), both of Washington, D.C.; and Lynn Brown, Hydro Aluminum North America, Baltimore, Maryland.

NOMINATION

Committee on the Budget: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Jacob J. Lew, of New York, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget, after the nominee testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON AIRPORTS AUTHORITY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, Reagan Washington National Airport and the Perimeter Rule, after receiving testimony from Susan L. Kurland, Assistant Secretary for Aviation and International Affairs, and Michael J. Sammartino, Director of System Operations, AJR-1, Federal Aviation Administration, both of the Department of Transportation; Lee R. Kair, Assistant Administrator for Security Operations, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security; and Charles Darwin Snelling, and Lynn Hampton, both of the Metropolitan Washington Airport Authority, Washington, D.C.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee ordered favorably reported Treaty between the United States of America and the Russian Federation on Measures for

the Further Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive Arms, signed in Prague on April 8, 2010, with Protocol (Treaty Doc. 111–05), with amendments.

NOMINATION

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Jacob J. Lew, of New York, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Schumer, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 3717, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Investment Company Act of 1940, and the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to provide for certain disclosures under section 552 of title 5, United States Code, (commonly referred to as the Freedom of Information Act); and

The nominations of Michael J. Moore, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Georgia, Michael Robert Bladel, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of Iowa, Kenneth James Runde, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Iowa, James Edward Clark, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Kentucky, Joseph H. Hogsett, to be United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, and Beverly Joyce Harvard, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Georgia, all of the Department of Justice.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL: PORTEOUS

Impeachment Trial Committee (Porteous): Committee continued hearings to examine the Articles Against Judge G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., after receiving testimony from Rafael Pardo, University of Washington School of Law, Seattle; Dane S. Ciolino, Loyola Law School, and Donald C. Gardner, both of New Orleans, Louisiana; and S.J. Beaulieu, Metairie, Louisiana.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, September 21.

THE DEEPWATER DRILLING MORATORIUM

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the Deepwater drilling moratorium, focusing on a review of the Obama Administration's economic impact analysis on United States small businesses, after receiving testimony from Rebecca M. Blank, Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, and John Fernandez, Assistant Secretary for Economic Development, both of the Department of Commerce.